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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of : October 6, 2004

W. L. Luken, et al : Group Art No.: 2151

Serial No. 09/663,490 : Examiner: Khanh Q. Dinh

Filed: September 18, 2000 : IBM Corporation

Anne Vachon Dougherty

Title: PACKET SCHEDULING SYSTEM 3173 Cedar Road

AND METHOD FOR MULTIMEDIA DATA Yorktown Hts, N.Y. 10598

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time for response for a period of two months. The period for response to the Office Action dated May 6, 2004 for the above-identified patent application will now expire on October 6, 2004.

A check in the amount of \$430.00 in enclosed for the two month extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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